SALISBURY STATE UNIVERSITY

WOMEN'S LACROSSE

1992

Season Outlook

With three of last year's top five scorers back, joined by a pair of newcomers with lots of scoring potential, goals may not be a problem in 1992 as Salisbury State looks to improve on last season's 4-7 record. The areas that **Coach Dawn Chamberlin**, now in her fifth year, will look to stabilize are the defense and goaltending.

The offense is highlighted by seniors **Joanne Fotia** and **Cheryl Ish**, last year's top two point scorers who together totalled 61 goals and 15 assists. Fotia had individual performances of seven and five goals last year, while Ish recorded outings of seven and six goals. Both will be key contributors again in 1992.

They will be joined by two transfer players, **Kim Benz** (Anne Arundel CC) and **Flossy Owens** (Slippery Rock), who also possess excellent scoring abilities. Benz is a speedy player with very good passing and shooting skills, while Owens is a creative play maker who also has the hardest shot on the team.

Also back from last season are senior **Jean Rusen** and junior **Carolyn Hyman**. Rusen, who plays mostly in the midfield, was fifth on the team with 11 goals last year. Hyman added six goals and four assists.

On the defensive end of the field, Chamberlin will look for replacements for graduates Cyndee Vanderbeek, Stephanie Ellsworth and Vicki Conklin. Headlining the returnees will be juniors **Kim Johnson** and **Angela Fridley**. Both were starters last season and should form the core of this year's backline unit.

Three other defensive returnees, **Nicki Houghton, Beth Towle** and **Jenny Shelley**, also have game experience. Newcomers who could also contribute quickly include **Regina Zippel** (a field hockey forward making the crossover for the first time) and three freshmen: **Cindy Hudson, Rita Leventry** and **Catina Campbell**.

Junior **Kris Hart**, who played in all 11 contests last year while recording a 7.9 saves/game average, returns in goal. Two freshman netminders, **Cirila Warwick** and **Kristin Roberts**, will challenge Hart for playing time.

Coaches

Dawn Chamberlin
Head Coach

Now in her fifth season as the head coach of the Salisbury State University women's lacrosse program, Dawn Chamberlin has brought both stability and success to the Sea Gulls. Accomplishments during her first four seasons include two winning campaigns, one Maryland State Championship and one runner-up trophy.

Chamberlin's squads are characterized by a hard working attitude and a desire to excel. "My coaching philosophy stresses many intangibles that I want my teams to exhibit," said Chamberlin. "Commitment, dedication and enthusiasm, coupled with having fun out on the field, are all very important."

Chamberlin, who also coaches the highly successful SSU women's field hockey team, is a 1985 graduate of the University of Iowa, where she was a four-year letter winner on the Hawkeyes field hockey team.

While at Iowa, Chamberlin received the Women's Intercollegiate Athletic Academic Award and the Physical Education Academic Achievement Award, noting excellence in academics as well as athletics. Chamberlin earned her Master of Education from Salisbury State in 1987.

Niki Dorn
Assistant Coach

Serving in her third season as an assistant is former Sea Gull player Niki Dorn. The Fort Washington, MD, native is well versed in Chamberlin's philosophy, having played both defense and goal for the Gulls during her career. Dorn's primary on-the-field duty will be working with the defense.

On the Cover: 1992 co-captains Cheryl Ish (L) and Kim Johnson. Ish led the team in goals as a junior with 31, while Johnson returns as a key starter on defense.

Cheryl Ish

Kim Benz

1992 Women's Lacrosse Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown	High School
2	Catina Campbell	D	Fr	Linthicum, MD	Landsdown
4	Amy Burkhard	A	Fr	Elkton, MD	St. Mark's
5	Regina Zippel	M	Jr	Cherry Hill, NJ	Cherry Hill East
7	Rita Leventry	D	Fr	Annapolis, MD	Broadneck
8	Cheryl Ish	M	Sr	Hamburg, NJ	Wallkill Valley Regional
9	Amy Sellner	D	So	Jessup, MD	Meade
11	Jean Rusen	M	Sr	Baltimore, MD	Overlea
12	Beth Towle	D	So	Lutherville, MD	Towson
13	Jenny Shelley	D	So	California, MD	Great Mills
14	Joanne Fotia	A	Sr	Edgewood, MD	Edgewood
15	Michelle Bulger	D	Fr	Cortland, NY	Cortland
16	Flossy Owens	A	So	Pottstown, PA	Owen J. Roberts
17	Cindy Bowser	D	Fr	Landsdown, MD	Landsdown
18	Kim Johnson	D	Jr	Gambrills, MD	Arundel
19	Carolyn Hyman	A	Jr	Annapolis, MD	St. Mary's
20	Angela Fridley	D	Jr	Crofton, MD	Arundel
21	Cindy Hudson	M	Fr	Fallston, MD	Fallston
22	Nicki Houghton	D	Jr	Federalsburg, MD	Colonel Richardson
23	Tracy Notaro	A	Fr	Arnold, MD	Broadneck
24	Kelly Flynn	A	Fr	West Windsor, NJ	W. Windsor Plainsboro
25	Kim Benz	M	So	Laurel, MD	Meade
—	Kris Hart	G	Jr	Voorhees, NJ	Somerville
—	Cirila Warwick	G	Fr	Waldorf, MD	St. Mary's

Players to Watch

Cheryl Ish
Senior—Midfield
A talented all-around athlete who also stars on the field hockey and track teams...Scored a team-high 31 goals last season and finished second in overall points with 35...Has outstanding speed and covers the entire field... Has the ability of making the players around her better also.

Kim Johnson
Junior—Defense
One of the team's top returning defenders who will be a leader on the backline unit...Became a starter last year after also contributing as a freshman...A very strong and tenacious defender...Provides very consistent effort in every game.

Joanne Fotia
Senior—Attack
Returning starter who tallied 30 goals and a team-high 11 assists in 1991... Possesses a good shot...Quick player who is hard to defend because she is always on the move...Cuts well to the goal...Will need to score well once again this season as the team will count on her productivity.

Angela Fridley
Junior—Defense
A good position defender who returns for her second season as a starter... Has very good anticipation which allows her to block and intercept passes... A patient defender and good marker...Reads plays well... Will team with Johnson to form the core of the defense.

1991 Game Results

Opponent	Result	Score
Notre Dame (MD)	W	20-11
Roanoke	L	23-6
Lynchburg	L	16-7
ST. MARY'S	W	18-10
TRENTON STATE	L	22-3
Glassboro State	L OT	15-14
Frostburg State	L	14-9
Sweet Briar	W	17-4
Goucher	W	17-12
Georgetown	L	21-7
MARY WASHINGTON	L	12-6

Maryland Colleges Tournament - 3rd Place

Individual Scoring

	Goals	Assists	Points
Joanne Fotia	30	11	41
Cheryl Ish	31	4	35
Mimsy Molter	19	6	25
Jamie Bentkowski	16	7	23
Jean Rusen	11	8	19
Becky Clark	9	4	13
Carolyn Hyman	6	4	10
Cyndee Vanderbeek	1	1	2
Vicki Conklin	0	2	2
Angela Fridley	1	0	1
SSU TOTALS	124	47	171
OPPONENTS	160	56	216

Goalies	Games	Saves	Saves/ Games
Kris Hart	11	87	7.9
Anne Tirocchi	7	50	7.1

Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
MARCH		
11	**NOTRE DAME**	4:00
14	Cortland State	1:00
15	Sweetbriar	11:00 a.m.
20	**GLASSBORO STATE**	4:00
22	**LYNCHBURG**	noon
25	Trenton State	7:00
APRIL		
7	**GEORGETOWN**	4:00
9	**GOUCHER**	4:30
11	St. Mary's	1:00
16	**WASHINGTON**	4:30
18	**FROSTBURG STATE**	noon
22	Mary Washington	4:30
25-26	Maryland State Tournament	TBA

Home Games - Bold Caps

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Applications triple. For 11 straight years the number of applications here has increased, countering national trends. This fall the campus received over 4,000 applications for 700 openings.

SATs up 182 points. In the same time period, SAT scores rose to among the highest in Maryland's public university system. The average 1991 freshman at SSU has well over 1000 on the SATs and a better than B average in high school.

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Highest endowed four-year public comprehensive university in Maryland. SSU's $10 million plus endowment means more scholarships, student travel and research funds, and more visiting scholars and artists' programs. The University has been listed in an exclusive group of 300 schools with the largest endowments for their size.